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SUBJ: AMERICAN ART AT MID-CENTURY

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1. IMV REGRETS HAD TO WITHDRAW OFFER SOUND COVERAGE DUE LACK OF FUNDS. SILENT FOOTAGE PROVIDED IS IMPRESSIVE AND SHOULD COVER MOST OF POST'S NEEDS. COVERAGE BY PORTAPACK NOT TECHNICALLY FEASIBLE.
2. CAN ORGANIZE INTERVIEWS RE EXHIBIT WITH LOCAL ARTISTS/ CRITICS, B/W ONLY, HALF-INCH VTR. IMV INVESTIGATING FEASIBILITY DUB POLISH NARRATION ONTO HALF-INCH COLOR TAPE, BUT THIS MAY TAKE A WHILE. IN MEANTIME, IMV WILL AIRSHIP SILENT CLIP AND SILENT COLOR VTR TO POST WITH POLISH SCRIPT FOR LOCAL VOICING. WILL ADVISE RE NARRATED VERSION. POST MAY ALSO WISH EXPERIMENT USE SEPARATE VOICED AUDIO CASSETTE IN CONJUNCTION WITH SILENT VTR ON BASIS ITEMS MENTIONED PARA FOUR.
3. NATIONAL GALLERY REQUIRES AGENCY OBTAIN WRITTEN CONSENT

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FROM ARTISTS/GALLERIES BEFORE ALLOWING US TO BORROW SLIDES FOR

DUPLICATION.

4. NO CATALOG OR POSTERS AVAILABLE. WILL SEND PORTFOLIO,
NEWSPAPER REVIEW, EXHIBITION LIST AND GALLERY NEWS RELEASE.
HOW MANY PORTFOLIOS DOES POST WISH AT \$40T PER? KISSINGER

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